



TOWN OF NEWINGTON

1485 Main Street Newington, Connecticut 06111

Newington Volunteer Fire Department

MINUTES

Board of Fire Commissioners

Special Meeting

February 10, 2011

Company #3

Newington, CT 06111

7:30pm

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:30pm

Pledge of Allegiance.

II. Attendance

Commissioner's Seiler & Bogacz

Chief Chris Schroeder
Deputy Chief Vic Frank Papa

Asst. Chief Tom Lapierre

Captain Paul Tesz	Lt. Vin Jankowski
Lt. Mike Iskra	F/F Austin Muir
F/F Tim Jones	F/F Dick Brown

III. Public Participation

None at this time

IV. Communications

Communications were read and accepted.

V. Ledger Status

Commissioner Seiler reviewed the Ledger Status Report and reported that it was on track for the year to date.

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VI. Old Business

The Rules & Regulations committee has finished its review and final approval will be in March.

Update is needed on the ISO report from Deputy Chief Gill.

VII. New Business

Flower Sale is scheduled for February 11th through February 14th or whenever the flowers are sold out.

VIII. Public Participation

Councilor Nagel was concerned about the amounts of snow we recently received and how the Fire Department was dealing with it. Councilor Nagel wanted to know if we needed the Council to be made aware of any problems or issues concerning the department.

Commissioner Seiler went on to say that the members of the department have worked extremely hard these past few weeks taking care of the effects of the weather.

Deputy Chief Papa and Assistant Chief Lapierre have put together a very informative video showing how to shovel out a hydrant and how important it is to clear completely around them. It's being shown on Chanel #14.

Chief Schroeder gave an overview of the problems encountered by business, industrial, and educational facilities with flat roofs and how we have responded to their requests for assistance.

IX. Commissioner's Remarks

Commissioner Seiler thanked the department again for their constant efforts over the past month with the extreme cold and snow.

X. No Executive Session.

XI. Meeting was adjourned at 7:45pm

Respectfully Submitted:

**Sue Reniewicz
Board Secretary**

